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Media Advisory

Hialeah Hosts Mayor's Gala

The City of Hialeah, Mayor Julio Robaina and the Hialeah City Council invite all the members of the media to join us for the Second Annual Mayor's Gala, "Polynesian Sunset," presented by Vista HealthPlans. All proceeds from the event will be donated to two very special organizations, the American Cancer Society and La Liga Contra el Cáncer.

Last year, the event alone raised \$85,000 in donations. This year, the Gala promises to be even bigger and better and will once again be aimed at helping the battle against cancer.

The day after the Mayor's Gala, the American Cancer Society will be holding *Relevo Por La Vida de Hialeah*, the Spanish initiative of Relay for Life. This is a local event, where members of the community form teams to help raise funds for the American Cancer Society. The City will present proceeds from the Mayor's Gala at *Relevo Por La Vida de Hialeah*.

When: Mayor's Gala: Friday, April 18, 2008, from 7:00 to 11:00 p.m.

Relevo por la Vida de Hialeah: Saturday, April 19, 2008, from 12 p.m. to 12:00 a.m.

Where: Mayor's Gala: McDonald's Aquatic Center, 7505 West 12th Avenue

Relevo por la Vida de Hialeah: Goodlet Park, 4200 West 8th Avenue

Extra Info: For more information on the Mayor's Gala, the media may contact the Communications and

Special Events Department at 305-889-5701. For more information on how you can participate in Relay for Life or *Relevo Por La Vida de Hialeah*, you can contact Gisett Taveras at the American Cancer Society at 305-779-2849. For more information on La Liga Contra el Cancer,

you can call 305-856-4914.

Members of the Media wishing to cover this event need to RSVP by April 17th, at

305-889-5701.

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